

PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES COMMITTEE

11-0341R

RESOLUTION DESIGNATING ALL PREVIOUSLY UNDESIGNATED SEWER
BASINS AND PORTIONS OF BASINS FOR I&I ENFORCEMENT UNDER
CHAPTER 43 AND GIVING NOTICE TO AFFECTED PROPERTIES.

CITY PROPOSAL:

WHEREAS, based on the recent history of actual sewer system overflows and the estimated flow of clear groundwater to the city's sanitary sewer system originating in each of its sewer basins, the results of prior work in the previously designated basins, the availability of city resources to reduce such flows under the city's I&I program and the results anticipated from so allocating such resources, the director of public works and utilities has recommended that all previously undesignated sewer basins in the city of Duluth and all undesignated portions of any previously designated basin be designated as basins designated for inspection as provided for in Section 43-33 of the Code; and

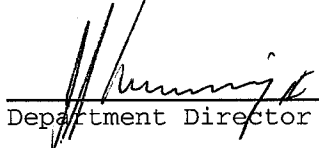
WHEREAS, the council accepts said recommendation.

RESOLVED, that pursuant to the provisions of Section 43-33 of the Code, that all previously undesignated sanitary sewer basins and any previously undesignated portion of all such basins are hereby designated as basins wherein the city can best utilize its available resources to reduce the amount of unpolluted water entering or infiltrating the city's wastewater collection system and said basins are therefore designated as a basin within which the city shall focus its enforcement efforts under Chapter 43 of the Code.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the director of public works and utilities is hereby directed to notify, in writing, the owners and persons in control of premises connected with the sanitary sewer within said basins to disconnect any prohibited

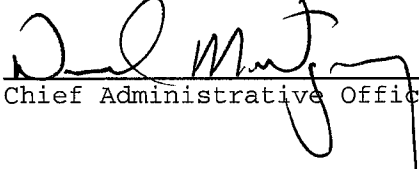
drain or device within 90 days after the date of such notice in the manner prescribed for such notices in said Section 43-33.

Approved:



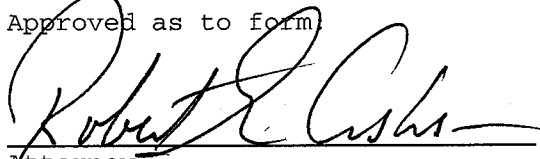
Department Director

Approved for presentation to council:




Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:



Attorney

Approved:



Auditor

PW&U/ATTY REA:dma 06/16/2011

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to designate any previously undesignated sewer basin or portion thereof as basins designated for enforcement of the city's I&I reduction program efforts. Only Basin No. 12 which is located in Rice Lake Township is excluded from the designation.

Section 43-33 of the City Code calls for the council to designate the sanitary sewer basins in which the city can best utilize its resources to reduce the I&I. As many of the necessary applications for inspection and inspections have been completed, the affected basins are being added to complete the areas of enforcement of the City's I&I Program.